

Custom Tailoring /Alterations For Outerspace Aliens

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[Mastershot of a small outerspace asteroid with a blinking neon sign, “Custom Tailoring / Alterations For Outerspace Aliens”, alongside of which a shop is visible. Several outerspace vehicles occupy the parking lot, each very different from the others.]

[Inside the tailoring shop, ANNA, an Earth woman with a thick Ukrainian accent, is assisting HOITZI, a very strange outerspace alien.]

ANNA

Okay, so Hoitzi – you did say your name is Hoitzi?

HOITZI

Correct.

ANNA

You want me to adjust the suit jacket you’re wearing, right? Only please, I do not see what is wrong with it.

HOITZI

No, no, it’s all wrong. It’s only got sleeves for two of my arms.

ANNA

How many – okay, maybe you better take off the jacket so I can see.

HOITZI

(taking off his jacket) Oh I got lotsa arms, you better believe it!

ANNA

(seeing bulges under HOITZI’s shirt) Yes, now I see. You should please take off your shirt as well, if you do not mind.

HOITZI

(taking off his shirt) I guess you haven’t seen any of my kind!

ANNA

Well, there are similar who come here – maybe same, I don’t remember. We have all types come here for alterations. Hard to remember so many different kinds people.

HOITZI

(now shirtless, revealing approx. 12 tiny arms all over his chest) Whatta y’tthink?

ANNA

This will take me some time. I did not realize.

HOITZI

And what about the shirt? Can you do something with it?

ANNA

Probably just little holes, okay? Because if you want me to put sleeves that will add up, you know.

HOITZI

Yeah sure, do that.

ANNA

Okay. I can have for you – next week.

HOITZI

Oh, no rush, I won't be back here for another thousand years.

ANNA

Not thousand Earth years?

HOITZI

No, no, Plomb years, a thousand Plomb years, that's like, three Earth weeks.

ANNA

Fine. I will have for you.

[HOITZI leaves and another customer enters the shop.]

***to be continued..... if someone pays me!
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